

CLAIM AMENDMENTS

1.-4. (Cancelled)

5. (Currently Amended) A pressure-sensitive adhesive sheet comprising a release sheet, wherein the release sheet has a monolayer structure or a laminate structure, wherein, when the release sheet has a monolayer structure, the release sheet itself, and when it has a laminate structure, a surface of at least one outermost layer of the release sheet, comprises ~~an ethylene polymer~~ a copolymer of (i) ethylene and (ii) 1-hexene or 1-octene, and wherein the ~~ethylene polymer~~ copolymer shows both property values of a) and b):

a) spin-spin relaxation time (T_2) of proton in an amorphous region of the ~~ethylene polymer~~ copolymer of 130-350 μ s at 30°C,

b) a ratio of the amorphous region of the ~~ethylene polymer~~ copolymer, as calculated from the spin-spin relaxation time (T_2), of 7-17%.

6.-8. (Cancelled)

9. (Currently Amended) A pressure-sensitive adhesive sheet comprising a release sheet, wherein the release sheet has a monolayer structure or a laminate structure, wherein, when the release sheet has a monolayer structure, the release sheet itself, and when it has a laminate structure, a surface of at least one outermost layer of the release sheet, comprises ~~an ethylene polymer~~ a copolymer of (i) ethylene and (ii) 1-hexene or 1-octene, and wherein the release sheet has a bearing ratio of -30 to 15.

10. (New) The pressure-sensitive adhesive sheet of claim 5, wherein the spin-spin relaxation time (T_2) of proton in the amorphous region of the copolymer is 170-280 μ s at 30°C, and the ratio of the amorphous region of the copolymer, as calculated from the spin-spin relaxation time (T_2), is 10-14%.